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The Wealth of Colorado.

The silver mines of our greatest mountain chain are admitted in all countries to be superior to all others in the world. They, and they alone, have created out of vast tracts of wilderness and desert populous, rich and thriving Territories and States—and all this within the space of a few years. Very many of the moneyed princes of the world owe their great wealth to the mines of Colorado, Nevada and California. They had faith in the inexhaustible mineral resources of the Rocky Mountains, and the result has justified their faith. In these mountains silver mining has arrived at the stage of a regular and systematic industry; an industry of which the United States Commissioner of Mining Statistics says: "It is the safest and most profitable of all industries." It is never hurt or shaken by panics, which are becoming so frequent, and which so often retard or ruin every other industry.

There is only one class of persons connected with mining interests who, in the aggregate, are so unfortunate as not to make large profits. They are the discoverers. They are a class peculiar by themselves; they are in a measure nomads, who, having cut loose, for one reason and another, from home ties and the influence of refined society, wander up and down over the great mining districts, seeking for a find, and when once found they sell it for a pittance, not knowing how good "they have struck it," for lack of scientific knowledge, and so they move on for the next, with the singular ambition to be known as excellent in discoveries. Fascinated with the romance, rudeness, and independence of camp life, they live up in the great mountains, glory in their privations, and look down with pity upon the more effeminate dwellers upon the plains. They have no money to develop their discoveries, and have lost all business habits, if they ever had any, and do not know how to deal with capital seeking investment.

Comstock, the discoverer of the world-famed Comstock, out of which the considerably over one hundred millions of dollars has already been taken, sold it for $750 worth of groceries. One of the discoverers of the "Terrible," out of which so much money has been made, sold his half for $500, and the remaining half was sold a few days later far a trifle more. The great "Hercules" was sold by the discoverers for a "mere song." The history of mining is filled with such instances, where these invaluable pioneers of the world's wealth have pointed the way to great riches for others, but have got scarcely anything for themselves.

Silver mining can be traced as far back into antiquity as written history. In the time of Abraham, Moses and Solomon silver was used, and the same may be said of the Egyptians, the Greeks and the Romans. There were silver coins 895 B. C. The Romans employed 25,000 men in a single mine; the Carthagenians, 40,000 men in the mines of Spain. Hannibal took from one mine £500,000 a year; Cato as much from mines, and Helvetius twice as much. Herodotus says: "The nations subdued by the Persians, except the Indies and Antioch, paid a yearly tribute of £3,000,000 in silver."

Phny says that in his time silver mines in Spain were penetrated a mile and a half. According to Prescott, the historian, Prince Atahulpa, made prisioner, had gathered to pay for his liberty the value of $3,500,000 gold, and 51,610 marks, or about 25,805 pounds of silver. From 1784 to 1827 the great silver mines of Pasco, in South America, smelted 4,967,710 pounds troy silver. The silver mines of Bolivia and Peru yielded from their discovery by the Spaniards in 1845 a quantity of silver equal in value £506,220,000. The Grand Potosi, of Bolivia, was discovered in 1545. Since then it has produced £240,000,000 in silver.

Humboldt's "Essai Pollitique" states that the mines of Mexico of only a few central spots, yielded between the conquest and 1805, $2,027,952,000.

The great mining regions of the United States have produced of the precious metals since the first discoveries in California, a little over thirty years ago, the enormous sum of not less than $2,000,000,000, of which a large proportion is silver.

The mines of Colorado produce chiefly silver. The vast wealth of the great deposits in that State are just beginning to be appreciated. In 1876 her mines produced about $5,000,000. In 1880 they produced $28,000,000, about $4,000,000 more than any other State or Territory. Scientists, experts and practical miners assert with emphasis that Colorado is to be the great bullion center of the world. Certain it is that her wonderful mineral resources are drawing immense capital and rapidly covering her valleys and mountains with a net work of railroads.

Is not this the "Golden Age" of the world, with the most magnificent opportunities to those who have enterprise or capital?

Old Letters.

Doubtless, kind reader, you have a treasure box, or chest, or trunk, and away in some hidden corner among the many keepsakes so carefully kept, is the bundle of old letters yellow and stained and wrinkled by the hand of time. Would you give them away, burn them or sell them for money? We think the unanimous response would be "Nay!" "Nay!" Precious relics, as they are opened and read in the hours of loneliness, how they fill the soul with sweetest memories. How oft you delight to read them and how deeply absorbed you become in their perusal! Amid the bustling scenes of life, now and then an hour cannot be more profitably and pleasantly spent than in communion with the dear old letters. Select some cosy place by a quiet stream or beneath some spreading tree, and while the sun sheds his blandest smiles, the sky wears on its bluest robe and the birds thrill their sweetest notes, you may read over the events and pleasures of the olden time with completest zest, and in your abstraction of surrounding scenes, dream the happy hours away.

Touch with loving care these humble reminders, for they are precious indeed. Place them away in the safest retreat, and when the years shall grow apace, they will soften the wrinkles of age, and serve to keep green the memories of the past. And when you shall have reached the last oasis in the arid desert of life they will be fragrant flowers in your pathway to the tomb.—"*Amicus*" in *Cincinnati Farming World.*

A lady near this place had her teeth extracted by Dr. Campbell, as preliminary to inserting an artificial set. While the dentist was waiting for the gums to cicatrize, nature itself usurped his office and supplied the lady with a perfectly new and sound set of teeth.—*Monterey Recorder.*

ANOTHER line of fine railroad suits and spring bottom pants just received at Decatur's one-price clothing and merchant tailoring house, corner of Old Square. j14-d&wtf.

BUSKINS, broad and soft, just the thing for old ladies, at BARBER & BAKER'S. April 15-d&wtf

Life and Tragic Death of a Beautiful and Brilliant Woman.

Among those aboard the ill fated steamer Golden City that burned near Memphis, recently, were Mr. Stowe, of Stowe's Circus, his wife and two children. Mrs. Stowe and the two children perished in the flames. Mrs. Stowe, or Lizzie Marcellus, as she was known by her maiden name, was an adopted daughter of old Dan. Rice, the veteran clown. She was a veritable queen of the arena, being not only a beautiful and accomplished lady, but a graceful rider, and was accounted one of the handsomest women in the profession. Her life has been a very romantic one. She came from near Schenectady N. Y., where she was born, her father occupying a small farm in that locality, but is now a master mechanic in one of the large machine shops at Albany, New York. In 1866 Dan. Rice, then with Forepaugh's show, which bore his name, was riding along a country road about six miles from Schenectady, when he met a little girl about six years of age, driving some cows to pasture. Speaking to the child in a friendly way, he asked her if she had seen Dan Rice going along with his show, which had just passed. "Yes," said she; "I saw the old fellow on the chariot." Dan. laughed at the child's sharp reply, and then took her in his buggy to ride with him as far as her father's home. The folks at the house recognized the showman at once, and addressed him by name, and, after an exchange of compliments, he was about to drive on, when little Lizzie, the child, strange to say, took after the buggy crying, and begged to go with the clown, for whom she seemed to have a strange fancy. With the consent of her parents he then carried her on to Troy, the next town, giving them tickets for the show, they intending to follow, and take her back home. As soon as Dan., dressed in motley, made his appearance in the ring that night, the child sprang from her father's side and rushed to him, and it was with great difficulty that she was removed and pacified. So strange was her attachment that at a supper that evening her parents indentured her to the showman, and the next morning, in care of Dan.'s wife, she left Troy with the circus. From that day her training as a rider began, and so rapid was her advancement that it was not many years until she was receiving a salary of $100 a week from Barnum. Before she had yet become of age Uncle Dan. sent her out with what is called a river show, in which there was a rather eccentric Italian performer by the name of Cardona, who fell deeply in love with her. While at St. Paul, Dan. was telegraphed, he then being in Canada, that unless he came there immediately Cardona would marry the girl. He immediately answered, ordering the Chief of Police and the Mayor of St. Paul to arrest Cardona for trying to abduct his ward, but before the message was received the twain were married, and the order was not obeyed. This was in the summer of 1873. Several months afterward Uncle Dan. joined the show at Madison, Ind., when Lizzie professed herself as heartily sorry for her rash act, and Cardona, fancying that an attempt was to be made to take his wife from him, in a fit of jealousy locked her in a stateroom on the boat, and was about to cut her throat with a razor. The attempt was made about midnight, but the screams of the girl wife awakened the show people aboard, and Uncle Dan., assisted by W. H. Stowe, who was always greatly attached to Lizzie, rescued her from the would-be-murderer. It was then determined that something must be done to separate her from so miserable a master, and shortly afterward a suit for divorce was brought in Chicago, which in 1875 was granted, and the season afterward she was married to young Stowe, then about twenty-four years of age. With her second husband she lived happily, and it is said made a most exemplary wife. Of the two children burned with her one was a boy about seven years of age, by her first husband, and the other a girl of five, the daughter of Stowe. Mrs. Stowe owned a comfortable little home in New York City, where her mother now is, which she had purchased from her own earnings. The horses with the show burned on the boat belonged to her, as well as the six cages of animals, she having besides about $1,500 in diamonds and a large and valuable wardrobe, as she was known to be one of the handsomest dressers who ever mounted a pad. She was twenty-two years of age at the time of her death. William H. Stowe, the husband, who was about thirty years of age, was born in a small town of Western Ohio, and has been in the show business ever since a boy. He was a good negro comedian and an excellent clown, having served an apprenticeship under Dan. Rice. His father, a well known circus man, died at Vicksburg about two years back, but his mother, the first and divorced wife, is now living on Court street, in Cincinnati.

Summer Excursions.

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April 7-d&wly

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feb13-d&wtf. LINN & SCRUGGS.

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June 23-d&w1w

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" Quincy,	7 00 am	" Clarksville,	11 00 pm
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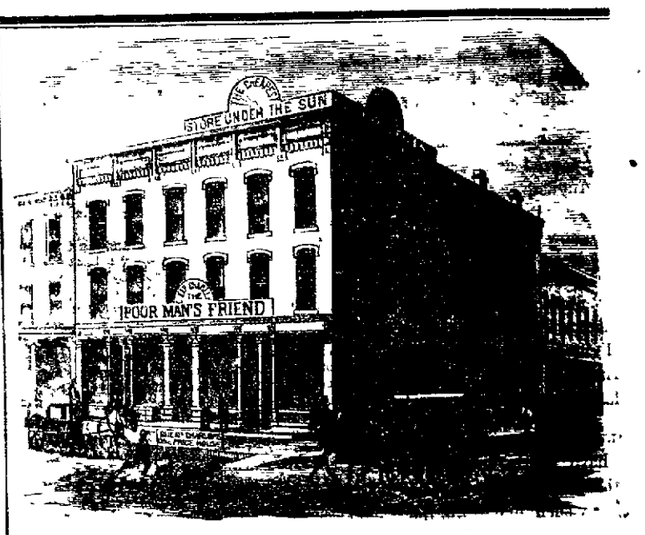

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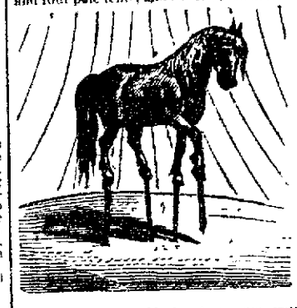

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No camp followers allowed, nor will any gambling or swindling games be permitted on the grounds.

The Daily Republican.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 28, 1882.

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HAMSHER & MOSSER, Propri't'rs.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Entered at the Post Office at Decatur, Illinois, as second class mail matter.

THE famous Dalrymple farm of Dakota is to be divided, Mr. George Howe, an oil prince of Pennsylvania, having bought 30,000 acres of it for $80,000.

VENNOR predicts a rainy July, a stormy August, and a fair but frosty September. But we hope Vennor doesn't know any more about it than the rest of us.

LAST night in New York twelve new electric lamps in City Hall park were lighted for the first time, as an experiment. They will be burned regularly hereafter every evening.

FARMERS in the region of Wichita, Kan., have nearly finished harvesting their wheat, and declare they never saw such fine grain, the yield in many fields being thirty to forty bushels per acre.

SAMPLES of new corn crop measuring seven feet, and of oats measuring six feet, cut in Alexander county, in this state, on the 15th instant, were exhibited on 'change in Chicago yesterday. We wish the corn crop was as promising in central Illinois as it is in lower "Egypt."

THE Mobile (Ala.) *Register* (Dem.) impressed with the news from Oregon, says: "Three electoral votes and United States senator, in the face of the Chinese question, is enough to stop funny remarks for a while, and to put the Democratic party to the solemn duty of getting to work."

THE New York *Tribune* finds conclusive evidence in the election returns of New York and Brooklyn the past six years that both cities are "tending inevitably and irresistably toward Republicanism." In 1876 the Democratic majority in both cities was 70,995, while in 1880 it was 50,596—a loss of over 20,000.

JOHN W. GUITEAU, the brother of the assassin, speaking on the probable conduct of his brother on the gallows, said: "He will go upon the gallows with all the courage of a hero, and will deliver his speech as if all the world could hear. He will not do a cowardly thing, and will hold up manfully to the last." Guiteau has fallen back on his dignity. He said to his spiritual adviser, Mr. Hicks "Don't go to President Arthur any more. Let him come to you. I have nothing more to ask of him. If he is irrevocably decided, I appeal to the higher court. God will judge between him and me."

MUCH of our bad legislation has been attributed and no doubt is caused by dyspepsia and the disordered livers of congressman; hence it is a cause for public congratulation that congress is to be furnished with Bethesda water—which is said to be a cure for these complaints—free of expense. Heretofore the senators have been furnished with apollinaris at the expense of the government; hence the new arrangement is in the line of reform, and we may expect better legislation and more economy.

DURING the last fiscal year Uncle Sam sold thirteen million acres of his farm. The various railroads and states parted with at least seven million acres and most of it was sold to actual settlers. That means prosperity and wealth in the future. It is not the men in cities, but those on the fertile acres that hold the keys that will open the vaults of the entire world.

A KENTUCKY judge recently sentenced a man who had stolen a herd of cattle to one year's imprisonment, and then sent a negro up for three years for stealing a few pounds of copper. When the latter was asked if he had anything to say previous to sentence, he remarked that he had not, but only regretted that he had not stolen a drove of cattle instead of that piece of copper.

THE London *Standard* says that "the dominant influences of the day are uniformly hostile to copious and not too friendly to moderate drinking. There are few English refreshment rooms in places of public resort where milk is not largely in demand. The amount of wind drunk at dinner parties is much smaller than of yore. Many drink none, and others largely dilute it."

IT is estimated that not less than 130 persons were killed during the recent tornadoes in Kansas, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska, Dakota and Minnesota, and that the total amount of property destroyed will exceed three and a half millions.

Incredible.

F. A. Scratch, druggist, Ruthven, Ont., writes: "I have the greatest confidence in your BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS. In one case with which I am personally acquainted their success was almost incredible. One lady told me that half a bottle did her more good than hundreds of dollars' worth of medicine she had previously taken. Price $1.00. Sold by druggists.
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THE Illinois Central railroad company will sell tickets, beginning on Monday, July 3d, from any station to any station, at one and one-third fare for the round trip, good to return until July 5th inclusive.
26-dtd

HON. J. H. ROWELL.

The Address in Full of Our Next Congressman,

Delivered at the Court House Yesterday Noon.

STENOGRAPHICALLY REPORTED BY JOHN T. MONTGOMERY.

Below is the speech in full of Hon. J. H. Rowell, of Bloomington, on accepting the unanimous nomination of the Republican delegates for Congress in the 14th congressional district, at the court house in this city on yesterday noon. The distinguished gentleman was received with great enthusiasm as he came forward in reponse to repeated calls:

GENTLEMEN OF THE CONVENTION:—It is scarcely necessary for me to say that I am profoundly grateful to the Republicans of the 14th district and to you, their representatives for the nomination just tendered.

In accepting that nomination and the trust that goes with it, I can only say that I shall labor for the success not only of myself, but of every candidate of the Republican party, and if, in the coming election, the people shall ratify your action here to-day, I shall give whatever of ability I have to the public service, believing as I do that all the interests of this country will best be subserved in the continuance in power of the Republican party, I shall labor to the end that it shall continue in power.

This is not the time, nor is it my intention to enter into a discussion of political questions here to-day. I hope before the campaign is over to be able to preach the Republican gospel to all the people of this district [applause] to the end that believers may be confirmed, the doubtful may be strengthened and that the eyes of the blind may be opened. [Applause and laughter.] As Republicans we have a right to congratulate ourselves upon the grand history of the Republican party. It came into power under strange and peculiar circumstances; by the mismanagement of the party then in power the nation was on the verge of bankruptcy; the currency system was falling to pieces of its own rottenness; business was at a stand-still, timid capital was not seeking investment, and that portion of the party then in power, which cried loudest about its loyalty to the national government, and stigmatized our party in the strongest terms as a sectional party bent upon the disruption of the Union, had no sooner heard the news that swept from one end of this land to the other with the speed of lightning, that the people in their sovereign majesty, through the regularly constituted forms of government, had stamped with approval the principles of the Republican party, and proclaimed their acceptance of the same, than they were all in arms seeking the overthrow and destruction of the national union. From that day, fellow citizens, to this, the Republican party has been the hope of the nation. From that day to this, for twenty-two years, it has met the approval of the majority of the people of this country, and it has failed in no one thing to justify the confidence reposed in it when it first came into power. Even a peace-loving party, it has created an army and with that army has conquered the assailants of the nation, established union and made liberty universal; it created out of the wreck of old financial systems a currency system for this country that has been a blessing to it; a system so perfect, so admirable, so well adapted to the needs of the government, that it has extorted commendation from the best financiers of Europe. Confronted at the close of the war with the urgent necessity of reconstruction and of determining the status of the freedmen whose shackles had been snapped asunder through the magnanimity and love of right that characterized and honored the organization, it adopted the Republican theory that humanity could be trusted, and that the voice of all the people, when permitted to be expressed, should determine the condition of this country; the result was reconstruction; the result was that 3,000,000 men became possessed of the same civil and political rights that we possess; stigmatized as a party filled with a spirit of hatred, it has answered by the restoration of property and of civil and political rights to the great mass of all those who had attempted to destroy the government; charged with being a party of corruption, it has hunted out and prosecuted with relentless vigor every direliction of the pathway of duty of its own officials; wherever a question has arisen in this country demanding solution, the Republican party has advanced to the solution thereof, and has so solved it as to bring upon the country prosperity, peace and progress; and it has done more than all this. It has extorted from its political opponents, reluctant approval, it is true, but, nevertheless, more or less pronounced, for almost every act which it has advocated and enforced since it came into power: [applause]; inheriting a vicious civil service system from the old regime, it has steadily, but surely, advanced to a better one, and, while it may be said that it has not met with all the requirements and demands of its critics, it has this answer to make to all of them. "In collecting and disbursing all the vast sums of money made necessary by the magnitude of the business of the government, the per centage of losses from dishonesty and incompetency is a less per centage than the per centage of losses from the same causes in the commercial, banking and carrying business of this country, managed by private individuals where employes are appointed under a system of business enforced among private establishments; and, while I have no doubt that the public service question will be met with a far more satisfactory solution in the near future than that shown to-day, I am happy now to be able to assert, without fear of successful contradiction, that the republican party has shown a record in this matter that the telegraph companies, the railroad companies, the bankers and merchants of this country have not been able to equal in their private business. What has been, my fellow citizens, the results of this rule over this nation of the republican party? Peace, prosperity, liberty, security; new means of prosperity have been opened up all over the country, new territories have been added to the expansive domain spread out before the world, inviting whomsoever will to come and partake of its bountiful provisions extended to every man without regard to race, political opinion or previous condition of servitude; foreigners by thousands have been adopted into our great family and munificently given a share in our heritage, until the nations of Europe have become alarmed through fear of depopulation, that the balance of power would be affected by the loss of so many of their yeomanry; equally advancing all along the line, in religion, intelligence, industry, in short, the securing of individual liberty and financial prosperity to all the people, with an opportunity to work for themselves and secure the proceeds of their labor. These have been some of the results of the control and management of the republican party, and, as I stated at the beginning of my remarks, we have a right to congratulate ourselves upon the attainments of such remarkable success. But the republican party cannot live upon its past; it must advance with the times, keep pace with the onward march of events, in order that it may continue to meet with approbation. New questions are arising every day that must be satisfactorily disposed of; we have a right, I think, to assume that a party coming into existence in perilous times, and organizing and carrying into effect all the great measures it has, will not stand still and let the world move on in advance of it, but will ably move forward, with all the wisdom before manifested, just as safely providing for the interests of the people, and, because of the past, because of all it has done, we have a right to call upon the people to trust that in the future, as in the past, every question that may affect the public weal will be wisely and justly settled by the party now in power (applause). Pledging to the world the faith of the nation that every promise should be redeemed, it has kept the pledge [applause]. Pledging to the volunteer soldiers a nation's gratitude, it has answered with liberal pension laws, and with the disposal of public offices wherever they were to be distributed, and pledging to every man a right to an equal voice with his fellow men in all the affairs of public moment, it has been insisted from the start and will so insist until it is an established fact, and not a barren ideality, *that ballot box stuffing shall cease*, and that ballot dosing shall be no more, and that whoever appears in the halls of congress with a certificate of a stuffed ballot box, or of ballot dosing having been committed, shall go back to his constituency in order that the people may be represented; [applause].

I do not deem it proper, here, to speak of the new question that may properly and probably arise in the future; it will be time enough when we get before the people to discuss the issues that are likely to arise.

Fellow citizens, in conclusion let me express the hope that we shall go into the campaign with no differences in our own party to heal, but let us go into the contest with the settled purpose of making victory certain, and then, when the votes are counted next November, you and I and the republicans of the 14th district will all rejoice together over the splendid victory accomplished; [loud and prolonged applause].

Our Republican Convention.

EDITORS DECATUR REPUBLICAN:—I would not be true to the principles of the Republican party as I understand them, did I not enter my protest to the action taken by the convention in regard to the senatorial convention.

I cast my maiden vote in Macon county in 1856 for John C. Fremont when the Republican party was in its infancy, when it was not the popular thing to do, especially in Friends Creek township. It took another campaign of the "irrepressible conflict" before the Goddess of Liberty was seen with her scale of justice heavily weighted down with Republicanism and right.

From that day to this there has been no uncertain sound in my Republicanism, and never will be as long as we are true to ourselves and never will be as long as we are a party of principles and not of men. The Republican party is in far more danger to-day from designing politicians in its ranks than from any outside opposition.

This seeking, and exceeding anxiety for office is not in accord with our principles, and the Republicans are for principle and not for office, and will refuse longer to be led, as lambs to the slaughter. Ever since the call for the convention a still hunt has been made in the rural districts in the interest of Mr. Jason Rogers for state senator. Men have been button-holed, letters have been written (in a quiet way) to the different townships, all to the same purpose. "See that you have delegates sent to the convention instructed to vote for Jason Rogers for state senator," and the convention proved Mr. Rogers had worked his wires successfully. A resolution that five of the delegates of the senatorial convention be taken from the country and four from the city of Decatur was promptly voted down, an action never taken before by a Republican convention in Macon county, for by their representation it clearly belonged to the country and was never denied them before. The Rogers slate of delegates were already written out and distributed, so as to save delegates the exhaustive labor of writing their own. All this in the face of our new senatorial relationship, without any knowledge of the wishes of our new political cousins. If this was not enough to satisfy all fair-minded Republicans of the "eternal fitness" of things, we were treated to the pitiable exhibition of a candidate for senator moving among the delegates while voting for candidates for that convention, giving them his kind supervision.

Now, while my personal relations with Mr. Rogers have always been very friendly, having known him for years and no personal objection to him as a man, yet I fully believe the Republican party capable of selecting a candidate to represent the intelligence of this district, and much better than a self-selected candidate.

I am not now, never have been and never expect to be a candidate for any office in the gift of the people of Macon county; not speaking in the interest of any man, but a strong believer in the principle of our party, and wish it always to succeed and succeed honorably.

I fully believe if the programme as laid down for our senatorial convention by the interested parties is carried out, it will result in our defeat, and now before the convention is held, is the time to see that the best interest of our party is not endangered by the self-interest of a few men. W. A. VANLEER.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Mr. Wm. E. Williams, deputy clerk of the supreme court of the District of Columbia, has prepared the death warrant of Guiteau. It reads as follows:

In the supreme court of the District of Columbia, May 22, 1882. United States vs. Charles J. Guiteau. No. 14,056. The president of the United States to the warden of the United States jail of the District of Columbia, greeting:

Whereas, Charles J. Guiteau has been indicted of felony and murder, by him done and committed, and has been thereupon arraigned, and upon such arraignment has pleaded not guilty, and has been lawfully convicted thereof: and whereas judgment of said court has been given that the said Charles J. Guiteau shall be hanged by the neck until he be dead: therefore you are hereby commanded that upon Friday, the thirtieth (30th) day of June, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two (A. D. 1882) between the hours of twelve (12) o'clock meridian and two (2) o'clock past meridian of the same day, him, the said Charles J. Guiteau, now being in your custody in the common jail of the District of Columbia, you convey to the place prepared for his execution within the walls of the said jail of the district of Columbia, and that you cause execution to be done upon the said Charles J. Guiteau, in your custody, so being in all things according to said judgment. And this you are by no means to omit on your peril, and do you return this writ into the clerk's office of said court so indorsed as to show how you have obeyed the same.

Witness: D. K. CARTER,
Chief Justice of said Court.

The warrant was signed by Mr. R. J. Medge, sr., clerk of the court, and transmitted to the warden of the jail to-day.

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NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

THE STATE CONVENTION.

Iowa Adopts the Prohibitory Amendment by 30,000 Majority.

The Death Warrant of Guiteau.

THE STRIKERS.

WASHINGTON, June 27.—Congressman Randall and a number of others left last night for the Harrisburg Democratic Convention. Much anxiety is felt regarding the result. The general impression is that while any respectable Democrat is liable to be struck by the Gubernatorial lightning, Hopkins is probably in the lead, with Pattison second, and Coxe in excellent position as a dark horse.

It is rumored in Republican circles that the President may soon take some steps reassuring to office-holders alarmed by the Curtis circular. Just what this will be is not yet known. Mr. Hubbell's reply is being prepared, and will, it is understood, be very incisive.

A good deal of uneasiness is felt by Mrs. Scoville's friends regarding her presence here. She is very excitable and difficult to control, and, while her brother insists that she is perfectly sane, there's no doubt she is nearer crazy than Guiteau, and liable to do something desperate before the week ends. One man expressed his belief this morning that she was liable to shoot the President if he persists in his refusal to grant a respite to her brother.

Reports from South Carolina say the Democrats are complaining very much of the registration law as it proves a serious obstacle to their methods.

NEW YORK, June 27.—The freight handlers' strike remains as on yesterday, neither parties showing any signs of yielding. The strike is peaceful and quiet. The streets in the neighborhood of the various depots are blocked with trucks laden with freight. At pier 39 the Pennsylvania railroads said they received all the freight that came yesterday, and expected to do the same thing to-day. A few Italians were at work to-day in the New York Central and Hudson River railroad depot, St. John's park. No freight was received at that point, but an effort is being made to handle that already taken in. Thousands of dollars' worth of perishable goods are waiting to be removed.

The steamboat lines are doing an immense business, and steps are on foot among the striking freight handlers to induce the men who unload these boats to join them in the strike, and thus make it an impossibility to move freight either by land or water. It was hinted to-day by the strikers that, if these men can be got to join them, a further demand for an increase to 25 cents will be made.

JERSEY CITY, June 27.—The strike continues, but no overt act has been committed. The leaders advise moderation. The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad company has a few men at work, and is moving some trains. The New York, Lake Erie and Western is having freight handled on two of its nine piers in Jersey City. On dock 6, a large quantity of "west-bound" freight is being shipped with the aid of clerks from the various offices, who have been pressed into the service to fill the places of the striking checkers. The company resumed work last night in the elevator with a small force. The Pennsylvania company is apparently working more men than the other three companies together, and are shipping their freight over the road with but little noticeable delay.

The Central railroad of New Jersey is also working a large force.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA, June 27.—Reports from seven townships in this (Linn county), including three of the largest cities therein, show 1,200 majority in favor of the amendment. The remaining townships will increase the majority to nearly 2,000. The weather was clear, and the vote was one-quarter larger than ever polled before. Business generally was suspended during the day and great excitement was manifested.

Iowa City gives 558 majority against the amendment.

DAVENPORT, IOWA, June 27.—The election here to-day has called out an enormously large vote, being 636 more than at the April municipal election and 20 more than at the last Presidential election, the total vote being 3,526. The vote against the amendment in the city is 2,787; for, 739; a majority against of 2,048. Scott county will give a majority of not less than 3,300 against the amendment.

DUBUQUE, June 27.—The vote in this city was one of the heaviest ever polled. The total vote was 4,009, the majority against the amendment being about 3,000. The county will give full 5,000 majority against the amendment, and if anything, it will exceed this.

DES MOINES, IOWA, June 27.—The anti-prohibitionists admit an overwhelming defeat. The majority for the amendment will be not less than 30,000. About two-thirds of the vote was given in the country.

KEOKUK, June 27.—This, Jackson township, gives 508 majority against the prohibitory amendment. Lee county will give 1,000 majority against it. The amendment will carry in the state by a large majority.

BURLINGTON, IOWA, June 27.—This city gives a majority of 1,551 against the amendment. Returns have been received here from 22 polling places, showing 8,166 majority for the amendment and 12,368 against: net majority against the amendment, 5,702.

SPRINGFIELD, ILL., June 28.—The hotels of the city early yesterday became a busy scene of political activity. The delegations began to arrive Monday night, and early yesterday all the headquarters of candidates were thrown open and were crowded all day and late into the night. In fact, some of them were open all night. It was a most noticeable fact that, among all the anxiety and work in behalf of the various favorites of various persons, there were no symptoms of the ill-feeling which the press in some quarters had led the people to expect. The day was strictly given to electioneering, in its earnest, but very friendly sense, and to arrangements for facilitating the work of the day.

During the day the State Central Committee issued a circular announcing the meeting of congressional delegations at 10 a. m. to-day, to select one member each for the following committees: First, Committee on Credentials; second, Committee on Permanent Organization; third, Committee on Resolutions; fourth, Committee to select members of State Central Committee at Large, and to report to the convention the name selected by each congressional delegation for district committeemen.

The Republican State Convention, which assembles in this city to-day, will be composed of 793 members, constituting probably the largest delegated political body that ever assembled in the state. The large number is not due to a change in the ratio of representation—for the ratio has been the same for years—but to the gratifying increase in the number of Republican voters, which has more than kept pace with the aggregate increase of population.

The convention assembles at this time under auspicious circumstances. Whatever questions may divide the party in other states, here there is absolutely none to create dissension and disorganization within the party. The Republican party of Illinois is practically united and harmonious on all the great issues of the day, and no true friend of Republicanism or true patriot will be found to thrust any disorganizing issues before the convention to-day.

CLINTON, Ill., June 27.—The Republicans of DeWitt county are highly pleased over the nomination of Capt. J. H. Rowell for congress, to-day at Decatur. He will be elected by an overwhelming majority.

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Embracing the latest and best styles in the market, and at less prices than commonly demanded for this class of goods.
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As being a certain cure for the worst forms of dyspepsia, indigestion, constipation, impurity of blood, torpid liver, disordered kidneys, etc., and as a medicine for eradicating every species of humor, from an ordinary pimple to the worst ulcer, BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS stand unrivaled. Price $1.00. Sold by druggists.
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June 28, 1882-dly

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County.

Macon County Circuit Court.

Augustus Harpstrite vs. Frank Bowman and Barbara Bowman—No. 11,491

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the May term, A. D. 1882, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said Court, on

Monday, the 24th day of July, A. D. 1882,

at the hour of 2 o'clock P. M. of said day, shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the Court House, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot twenty-three (23), being part of the east half of the southwest quarter of section nine (9), in township (16) north, and range three (3) east of the third P. M., containing seven acres, more or less, set off to one Lydia J. House, now Lydia J. Rulings, in the partition of the estate of Fielding House, deceased, and known as lot ten (10) on plat, recorded in book 22, page 148 of Macon County Records, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., June 23, 1882.

JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
E. S. McDOWALD, Solicitor for Complainant.
June 23—d3td

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Feb. 14—d&wtf

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[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance. No trade advertisements inserted in this column.]

FOR RENT—A suite of rooms with all modern conveniences—suitable for light housekeeping or sleeping apartment, third floor over Fleury's. Apply to C. Cassell, this office. 26-tf

WANTED—By a middle aged woman, a situation in a small family to do any kind of work. Best of references given. Apply at Workingmen's Hotel, north of the coal shaft. 26-d6*

WANTED—At Drake's Hotel, two dining room girls. None others need apply. June24-d6*

FOR SALE—J. F. Payne having failed in health wishes to take a change of climate. He will sell his farm of 37 acres, one and one-half miles southwest of Decatur, cheap for cash. It is well improved, and has a splendid orchard on it. June24-d1w

R. S. HAMMOND, shipper and wholesale dealer in Eggs and Poultry, 18 and 20, West Main street. June24-d1m*

FOR RENT.—The pasture known as the Berry Cassell pasture, enough for 30 head of cattle, with plenty of water. Apply to
June 23—d2w* P. J. KEARNEY.

FOR RENT—An eight-room frame house, on large lot; N. College st.; well, cistern, fresh paint and paper; good cellar, some fruit; garden in cultivation; now vacant. Inquire at Mrs. Abernathy's, near corner of Green and Union streets. 23-d1w*

FOR SALE, CHEAP—Two second-hand Portable Engines, (one Gaar, Scott & Co., and one Monitor.) Will be sold cheap if called for soon at J. H. Vennigerholz' coal office, east of Furniture Factory. 22—d1w

MEN WANTED—At the Cantrall Drain Tile Works, ten miles north of Springfield, Ill. Steady employment and good wages. Address or call at once on the Cantrall Drain Tile Co., Cantrall, Sangamon county, Ill. June15dtf

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Proposals will be received for the buildings complete or for the brick and carpenter work separately. The plans and specifications can be seen at the Decatur National Bank. We reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

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2 cases PRINTS, elegant chintz styles, at 8½ cts.

2 cases IRONSIDE CORSETS, the most comfortable, best wearing and best shape Corset for $1 ever offered in this market. We have some beauties at 50 and 75 cts.

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STRAW HATS!

In great variety and VERY LOW PRICES. My stock of

FANCY SHIRTS!

To be closed out in the next two weeks if low prices will do it.

S. T. KEELER.

June 28, 1882—dtf

It is Conceded by Everybody!

That the only place in the city where Iced Water is placed within reach of all, is at

JOHN IRWIN'S WHITE FRONT,

POST OFFICE BLOCK.

Look inside you will find it equally true that it is the only place in the city where you will find an entire new stock of CLOTHING, Medium, Fine and Extra Fine; GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS, Novelties in NECKWEAR and Nobby HATS, at reasonable prices.

Everybody welcome. No trouble to show goods.

June 22-d&wtf

GREAT SACRIFICE SALE

—OF—

HOSIERY

AND

PARASOLS!

The season has far advanced, and having an UNUSUALLY LARGE STOCK of these goods on hand, we have concluded to MAKE THEM MOVE more lively by offering

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS,

AND AT

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES,

All and everything in the above departments.

Our stock, both for VARIETY AND EXCELLENCE, is unsurpassed in Decatur.

(Big) No. 18 Merchant Street.

CHEAP STORE.

SOL. MORITZ & CO

Don't Buy a Watch

OF ANY DESCRIPTION

UNTIL YOU HAVE SEEN THE

Wonderful Variety of Designs

—TO BE FOUND IN—

OUR IMMENSE STOCK!

We Keep Every Make of Watch,

— AND CAN SAVE YOU —

15 TO 20 PER CT.

--- IN THE WAY OF —

Our Extra Discounts.

We have many little novelties in

LADIES'

Initial Pins and Collar Buttons!

See them while the Designs are New,

O. E. Curtis & Co.,

LEADING JEWELERS.

May 27—d&wtf

ABEL & LOCKE

Are receiving Cartoads of

SELECT PATTERNS — CARPETS — ELEGANT STYLES.

WALL PAPER.

RICH COLORINGS — DURABLE QUALITY.

—AND—

CURTAINS.

Which are being sold at a GREAT BARGAIN.

An Absolute Fact.

You can buy Dress Goods of S. G. Hatch & Bro. cheaper than any other House in this city.

You can buy Table Linens, Towels, Turkey Reds, Napkins, Crashes, &c., cheaper than elsewhere.

You can buy Cottonades, Cheviots, Jeans, Tweeds, &c., cheaper than you ever saw them.

A special offering of Kentucky Jeans at much less than value.

Special prices on Millinery, Ribbons, Laces, Trimmed and Untrimmed Bonnets and Hats. Now is the best time to buy.

Inspection solicited.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,
NO 10 MERCHANT STREET.

May 17—d&wtf

D. F. Hamsher,

—DEALER IN—

BUGGIES,

PHÆTONS, SPRING WAGONS, ETC.,

And the Manufacturer of the Celebrated

HAMSHER IRON FELLOE FARM WAGON.

You are cordially invited to visit his Factory at any time, and to examine his stock of

BUGGIES, FARM AND SPRING WAGONS.

He guarantees to give you the fullest satisfaction, both as to style and quality of work and prices.

☞ Factory on Wood street, between South Main and South Water streets. [apr4d&w3mo

The Daily Republican.

TERMS.

Per week, payable to Carrier, ... *15 Cts.*
One year, in advance, ... *$7.00*
Six Months, " *3.50*
Three Months, " *1.75*

WEDNESDAY EVENING, JUNE 28, 1882.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CORONER.

We are authorized to announce JOHN T. REID as a candidate for coroner, subject to the decision of the republican county convention.

WE are authorized to announce JESSE B. BENDURE as a candidate for coroner, subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

IF YOU haven't a Lawn Vase you should get one at
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.'s.

PICNIC to-morrow.

TRY the Palace Hotel.

NOTE change in Keeler's "ad."

THE great all wool Cassimere Suits at B. Stine's, the Boss Clothier. M5-dtf

THE Decatur Reds will go to Danville on July 6th.

CALL for Schroeder's Bohemians when you want the boss cigars.

FRESH golden butter and vegetables in season, at Niedermyer's, on the Mound.

INSPECT that elegant wall paper at Abel & Locke's carpet house.

PROCURE superior canned goods at Siddall & Co.'s—red front,

THE only latest styles in Decatur of men's low shoes are at
May 20-dtf L. L. FERRISS & Co.'s.

CORN! Corn!! Corn!!! Go to Rice and Reno county, Kansas, July 11th and see it.

THE trial of twine binders drew like a circus, but there were no lemo-lemo venders on the grounds.

THOSE Haines Bros.' pianos, sold by C. B. Prescott, cannot be excelled for beauty of finish and tone.

HAMMOCKS, Croquet, Lawn Tennis, and a full supply of Base Balls and Bats, at Wallace's book store. 24-d&w1w

THE rain of yesterday did not interfere materially with the field trial of twine binders.

THE next event in Decatur will be the visitation of Coup's great circus on Saturday.

TRAINER BROS. have removed to No. 41 North Main street, and are now ready to fill all orders for Roofing and Spouting.
June 23-d&w1w

HAVE you noticed that Linn & Scruggs' store has been decorated inside for the glorious 4th? Excellent taste has been displayed by the salesmen.

MRS SARAH SEIWELL, mother of Dr. S. J. Bumstead and Mr. Charles Seiwell, of the Wabash, died in Pekin, of cancer, on Tuesday, June 27th.

STINE'S $10 all wool Cassimere Suits. M5-dtf

WANTED—The Decatur Board of Health to look up several nuisances (in the shape of "loud" hog pens) that exist in the Fifth Ward. X.

THE festive watermelon has made its appearance in the Decatur market. They came from Mobile, Ala., and sell at fifty cents each. Heilman, Imboden & Co. have them.

A MEETING of members of the Decatur Shooting Club will be held this evening at the Singer office of Mr. Geo. P. Blume in opera block. A full attendance is urged.

QUITE a number of delegates departed for Springfield last night. They were accompanied by many Decatur citizens who went down to witness the proceedings of the state convention to-day.

A COMPLETE antidote to all malarial poison are Carter's Liver Bitters, yet free from quinine and everything injurious. Try them. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 23

"Oh, yes; we'll all be there," at the Stapp's Chapel S. S. picnic at the fair grounds to-morrow. The congregation of little and big folks will leave the Chapel at 8 o'clock to-morrow morning.

GO TO Peter Ullrich's and get a bar of that Magnetic Soap; no washboard or boiling of cloth necessary; washing done in one-half the time, and guaranteed not to injure the finest fabric. 13-dtf

FARMER M. H. BURROWS who resides 4½ miles east of Decatur, has shown us a head of oats from his field which is over 14 inches in length. This is a fair sample of the condition of the oats crop in Macon county, and it promises a large yield.

TRAINER BROS., Job Tinners, No. 41 N. Main st. June 23-d&w1w

THIS forenoon another section of the Illinois Midland Railway was sold for taxes by Treasurer Wood. The taxes against this road in Macon county foot up $3,500, and "it all goes to Governor Cullom." Buyers don't care to purchase tax-titles to the Midland road-bed. The returns would be too tardy.

FLAGS, Japanese Lanterns, and a general variety of Fourth of July goods at Wallace's book store. Celebration committees liberally dealt with.
June 24-d&w1w

TO-DAY Decatur is honored by a visit from Bloomington's best base ball club. The visitors will tackle the Decatur Reds at the park this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The visitors are a slick looking nine and have plenty of assurance. Who ever saw a Bloomington sport who didn't think he was "the boss?"

WARNER'S Safe Kidney and Liver Cure. 27

THE Champaign Twine and Bagging company, of Champaign City, has been organized; capital stock $60,000, with authority to increase to $100,000; incorporators, L. C. Garwood, F. F. Walker and H. C. Howard. This company will use the machinery lately owned by the Conklin Bros. to carry on their business.

THESE are hot days and a good vapor stove is just the thing to keep you and your house cool; but don't buy a stove of this kind until you have examined the Improved Vapor Stove manufactured in Decatur by the American Company at their factory on East Main street. It is one of the most popular vapor stoves made, and never fails to give entire satisfaction. See advertisement in another column and call at the American factory before purchasing elsewhere.

No tarry necessary to sell Stines all wool $10 Suits. M5-dtf

FIELD TRIAL OF TWINE BINDERS.

The Work of the 'Walter A. Woods' and Other Self-Binders

Witnessed by Nearly 1,000 People.

Two weeks ago Mr. V. H. Parke, the Decatur agent for the "Walter A. Woods" twine binder, together with the general agent, Mr. D. R. Brown, and J. E. Hayner & Co., the western managers for the company at Hoosac Falls, N. Y., published a challenge in the columns of the REPUBLICAN to competing twine-binders to a public field trial of twine-binders—said exhibition to take place on Tuesday, June 27th, at some point near Decatur. The conditions of the contest were left with the challenged parties, and it was voted that no committee should be appointed, but that the crowd in attendance should watch the work of each machine and then decide which excelled. The field of wheat selected was on North Monroe street, adjoining the Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific railway, and was the property of Stare & Wade, who received $30 per acre for the 2½ acres cut. There were nearly 1000 people present during the interesting trial, over 100 of whom came down on a special train from Maroa. There were noticeable in the crowd paper collar tillers of city soil without number, who protected their fair skin from the rays of the burning sun by parachutes of various shades and quality; but the sturdy farmers from all parts of the country—young and old men—all practical husbandmen and good judges of improved machinery that simplifies and expedites harvesting of ripe wheat and oats, were there in much larger numbers, and it was apparent to the most careless observer that they were there for business, to note all the points of excellence in each of the competing binders.

THE ENTRIES.

The binders entered for the exhibition were—

"The Walter A. Woods," V. H. Parke, agent, Decatur.
"The Osborne," Reed Spencer, agent, Decatur.
"The McCormick," Reed Spencer, agent, Decatur.
"The Plano," Leavitt & Royal, agents, Maroa.
"The Beloit," Newton Edwards, agent, Decatur.

THE CONTEST.

The machines above named got in motion at about two o clock, the representatives of the binders drawing lots for spaces, the "Walter A. Woods" and "The Beloit" being assigned confessedly bad places in the field of wheat, which was soggy and miry, particularly in the north half of the field; and then the wheat, which was very tall, green and heavy, was blown down in places, so that only an excellent binder could do good work in that part of the field. The points of excellence to be considered by the crowd, it should be stated right here, were lightness of draught, tightness of binding, shape of bundles, the regularity of delivery of sheaves, ease of running and management of machines and simplicity of machinery.

After each machine had made one round of its half acre strip, all the machines—some of them with three and four imported experts in charge—joined in the exhibition, which became more interesting with each passing minute, crowds of farmers and towns people following in the wake of the twine binders and watching closely the movement and work of each labor-saving machine.

All of the machines except the "McCormick," were drawn by three horses that were driven by men who were not strangers in harvest fields. The interesting exhibition was soon over.

"THE WALTER A. WOODS'" WORK.

As stated before the crowd was left to pass judgment upon the merits of each machine, but no formal decision was rendered. Every man was left to decide for himself, but of course an expression of all the people in the field could not be obtained by the REPUBLICAN representative, who was a make-believe farmer for the afternoon and circulated among the *genuine* farmers pretty freely and got from them a fair expression of their preferences. The challenging machine, "The Woods," was in charge of Mr. Brown as director, and Mr. Frank Cunningham was the driver. "The Woods" was the widest cut machine in the field, cutting a full six and a half foot swath, the other machines being from 6 to 18 inches less in width. Mr. Cunningham and the "Woods" representative desiring to deal fairly in the contest, notwithstanding the fact that the machine was drawn by horses light in weight, cut a swath each round full six and a half feet in width, and the tight bound sheaves were kicked out of the receptacle by the discharging arm with clock-like regularity that was generally praised and otherwise favorably commented upon. The machine ran with perfect ease, and seemed to require but little attention and management. There were no long delays, no breaking of twine, no stringing of bundles together, and the half acre was cut down smooth in a jiffy. There are numerous points of excellence in favor of the "Woods" which might be enlarged upon in this connection, one of which is peculiar to this old reliable invention. It is the flat receptacle upon which the grain falls, the shape of which entirely protects the sheaves from the wind while they are being tied with the twine in a bow-knot with a compression of 75 pounds to each bundle, thus requiring a less amount of twine to the acre. It was noticed also that while the "Woods" binder was in apparent motion only half of the machine was at work, the reason of which was that while the grain was being carried forward by the packer to the twine, the balance of the binder was idle, but when a sufficient amount of grain for a good sized bundle was in position, the packers would throw the binder into operation, the packers then ceasing to work, and with a click the other section of the machine would commence its leveling work again. This improved arrangement is a point that did not escape attention, and is one of the many reasons why the "Woods" is a light draft machine. The "Woods" is built in substantial and workmanlike manner, and is therefore both a handsome and durable machine. It was the verdict of scores of unprejudiced farmers that, everything considered, the "Walter A. Woods" is the king twine binder, and justly entitled to the enviable position it occupies among modern harvesting machinery. It was certainly handled in an excellent manner by Mr. Brown yesterday afternoon, though he was alone in the general management of the same. As the "Woods" came to a stand-still, after making the last round, a Macon county farmer was waiting to load it upon his wagon and later took it to his farm 5 miles northwest of Decatur. Several other "Woods" machines were also sold by Mr. Parke before he left the field, and we predict that the field trial of yesterday will sell many more "Woods" Twine Binders in this and adjoining counties for the Hoosac Falls folks.

MENTION IN GENERAL.

It was unfortunate for the "Beloit" that it was assigned to cut and bind in a bad stand of wheat. This machine which is manufactured by The Bennett H. M. Co., of Milwaukee, is represented by Newton Edwards in Decatur, and sold by Jesse Fisher. The "Beloit" took a piece of wheat on higher ground and acquitted itself creditably, doing good work. "The Plano," sold by Leavitt & Royal, of Maroa, was also one of the attractive binders in the field. It is a new machine in Macon county, and the trial of yesterday afforded the agents an excellent opportunity of showing it off to a good advantage. It has a good, easy motion and had many friends following in its wake. The "Osborne" and "McCormick" were entered by Reed Spencer, the Decatur agent, and as they were at work the spectators followed along behind and commented in a general way on the trial.

Had a committee been appointed to pass judgment upon the trial, we doubt if they would have been able to decide which machine excelled in all the points referred to in the challenge. Every machine had its friends and as the crowd left the field, the close listeners were convinced that there was considerable difference of opinion as to the merits of the several competing machines.

And thus ended the first public field trial of twine binders near Decatur. It was a rare and interesting event, and passed off pleasantly.

Will Go Out on the Cars.

We are requested to announce that those who will participate in the Stapp's Chapel Sabbath School picnic to-morrow at the fair grounds, will meet promptly at 8 o'clock at the church and proceed thence to the Water street crossing of the Wabash, where a train of several comfortable coaches will be in waiting to convey the members of the school and friends to the fair grounds free of charge. The train will depart for the grounds at 9 o'clock, and will return with the party late in the evening. Join in the picnic and assemble at the Chapel with well-filled baskets.

Illini Items.

In the gale of Sunday afternoon 55 feet of the spire of the Illini Congregational church blew off, but fortunately fell clear of the body of the church, which was unharmed. It was on the corner over the vestibule, separate from the audience room. About 20 feet of the tower stands unharmed. The same gale blew down many trees, especially peach heavy with fruit. On J. J. Batchelder's farm eighteen apple trees were broken off. Wheat was prostrated but most of it seems coming up again. Anxiety is felt lest the wet and muddy soil will prevent the use of self-binders in cutting. Rust is on the leaves but not yet on the stalks.

The 4th in S. E. Batchelder's grove will be observed with picnic dinner and various exercises, speaking and singing, to prepare for which a meeting is called at Mr. Batchelder's house Thursday at 3 p. m. Arrangements were made by a meeting at S. L. Rennick's Tuesday evening.
SARGENT.

The Reputation of Coup's Great Shows.

On the last day of the performances of Coup's New United Monster Shows in St. Louis, where it exhibited twice and sometimes three times a day to delighted houses, often being unable to accommodate the people who clamored for admission, the *Post-Dispatch* of that city says.

To-night Coup's circus will, after having showed to large audiences during the week, give its farewell performance of the season. Everything that could render an exhibition of this attractive has been added by the enterprising proprietor. No pains have been spared to render each and every feature a distinct entertainment. The vast tents, the innumerable animals, ring performers, trapeze artists, trained quadrupeds and other varied attractions serve to render the aggregation deserving of the most liberal patronage.

Coup's Great Shows will be in Decatur on Saturday next.

Minister's Meeting.

The Decatur Ministerial Association of the Methodist Episcopal Church convened at Macon yesterday. Presiding Elder Davis was elected president, and W. H. Musgrove, of Decatur, secretary. Rev. Gay gave an exegesis of Hebrews, eighth chapter, sixth verse. An essay by J. W. Warfield, of Lovington, on pastoral visiting, elicited a discussion. Rev. Dimmitt, of the First Church, Decatur, said that two minutes was long enough for an average pastoral visit. The long face and funeral style was criticized by G. W. Hanning, of Clinton, who read an essay on the preacher out of the pulpit that was racy and sensible. Last night W. D. H. Young, of Illiopolis, preached. The association includes all ministers in the Decatur district, and the meeting is simply a conference of the pastors to discuss matters affecting the interests of the churches and the membership.

Struck Coal.

Last night at the coal shaft at Niantic what is considered a paying vein of excellent coal was struck at a depth of 290 feet. The night foreman, Mr. Connard, who is in the city to-day, is authority for the above statement. He says the men dug down two feet and then stopped work without going through the vein. It is not known how thick it is. The new engines made by Elson Bros., St. Louis, are in position, and the timber for the tower is at the shaft.

A Rare Opportunity.

I will sell at at public auction, without reserve, at my residence, No. 24 Merchant street, up stairs, on Friday, June 30, 1882, all of my household goods, including bedsteads, dressing cases, carpets, stoves, dishes, chairs, stands, pictures, lace curtains, lambrequins, and many other articles as good as new.

The sale will commence promptly at 10 o'clock a. m., and will continue through the day. MRS. L. S. DODSON,
No. 24, Merchant Street.
J. N. FULLER, Auctioneer. 28d2

Laces and Embroideries,

Unexcelled for variety and styles, and as we have altogether too many we offer them lower than a similar class of goods were ever offered in Decatur.
Big 18. CHEAP STORE.
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SEE the new goods and low prices at the big store of L. L. FERRISS & Co.
May 20-dtf

PERSONAL MENTION.

State's Attorney Johns visited Taylorville this week on legal business.

George Stare and Edward Wade got $30 per acre for the wheat cut at the trial of twine binders on yesterday afternoon.

D. W. Brenneman and his trotting mare, "Magnet," are now at Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

C. S. Haines will have charge of the Argenta school next season. C. S. is a talented teacher, and is in demand.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. McClelland will take charge of the public schools at Lovington.

Harris, the shirt maker, says he would make a better left-fielder than umpire in a game of base ball.

Mrs. John M. Bowers left Monday night on a two months' visit to her sister at Monroe, Iowa, a short distance from Grinnell, which place she will visit before returning.

'Squire E. A. Barnwell, of Cerro Gordo, who was a delegate to the congressional convention yesterday, paid us a call last evening. He says corn looks well between Decatur and Cerro Gordo.

Frank Shull and Miss Notie Large, of this city, were among the 200 invited guests present at a tony party given last night at the residence of Mr. L. H. Coleman at Springfield.

Springfield *Monitor:* Mr. James P. Priestly, traveling agent for Lord, Stoutenburg & Co., of Chicago, is making one of his usual pleasant calls on South Seventh street.

Michael Elson has brought us samples of volunteer wheat grown on his farm east of the city, which it is believed will average 12 bushels to the acre. The heads are healthy and full, and for "accidental wheat" it is far ahead of some we saw at this time last year.

Gen. G. A. Smith, U. S. Internal Revenue collector for New Mexico, with headquarters at Santa Fe, arrived in Decatur this morning from Washington City, whither he went 10 days ago on official business. The General is as jovial as ever. He will depart for home in a few days.

Miss Ettie Campbell, daughter of J. S. Campbell, returned this noon from the Sacred Heart Convent, at St. Louis, for a vacation of two months. She was accompanied by Miss Emma Anthony, daughter of the senior member of the firm of Anthony & Kuhns, St. Louis, who came to Decatur with the misses. He will be the guest of Mr. Campbell for several days.

You couldn't fool a Decatur policeman this way: "The police of Moline got nicely taken in the other night in endeavoring to capture a supposed dealer in counterfeit money—a chiropodist named Baker. Through a bar-tender $100 was paid him for a package supposed to contain $1,000 in spurious greenbacks. The rascal escaped with the cash before the police could arrest him, and the package turned out to be a bundle of circus bills. The money was made up from the private funds of the officers, and they consequently mourn.

YESTERDAY a picnic was held at the fair grounds by the A. T. C. Club, the first of the season. Those present were Misses Lelah Race, Annie Henkle, Alma Kœhler, Lu Walston, Irene Thatcher, Mamie Smith, Celeste Duhring, of St. Louis, Ella Race, Blanche Gasaway, Etta Stafford, Ida Priest, Kitty Thornton, and Masters Chan Powers, Will Shellabarger, Charley Hildebrandt, Harry Hays, John Priest, Harry Lytle, Lew Race, Guy Parke and Art Race. The party came home early and took a ride about the city, visiting Wood Bros.' refreshment parlors.

YESTERDAY a woman over fifty years of age, who claimed to hail from Belleville, and who would not divulge her name, was arrested in Decatur for drunkenness. She "was too full for utterance," so to speak, and she went down to the cooler to sober off. She will be given a half hour's notice to leave the city. Two men were also arrested for drunkenness, one of whom paid his fine and the other went down to join the chain gang.

5 Cents Per Yard.

27-inch wide, *fast-color Lawns, at 5c. a yard.* CHEAP STORE.
Big 18. 27-d&w1w

Bargains for 30 Days.

As the season is so nearly closed, Mrs. Einstein has marked down all goods in her millinery and notion departments, and those wishing big bargains should call at No. 28 East Main street at once. The stock in both departments is complete. The mark down sale will continue for thirty days. Now is the time to buy
June 16-d&wtf

Hosiery.

The largest and best stock of any house in this whole section of country. By all means see and price them. We have every make, kind, quality and color; ladies', misses', boys', children's and men's.
18 Merchant st. CHEAP STORE.
27-d&w1w

A Heavy Swell.

Jacob H. Bloomer, Virgille, N. Y., writes: "THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL cured a badly swollen neck and sore throat in 48 hours. My wife was also cured of a lame foot in 24 hours." 27

Lace Neck Wear.

A very splendid line, just received at the
Big 18. CHEAP STORE.
27-d&w1w

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The Closing Quotations at Wilcox & Armstrong's Commission Rooms, at 1 p. m. To-day.

CHICAGO, June 28.

WHEAT———June; $1.15¼ July; $1.08⅝ Aug; $1.05 Sept; $1.03 Year.
CORN— June; 74¾ July; 75¼ Aug.; 75½ Sept; 66¾ Year.
OATS— June; 49½ July; 39¾ Aug; 38¼ Sept; — Year.
PORK— June; $21.60 July; $21.62½ Aug; $21.87½ Sept.
LARD—June; $11.97½ July; $12.12½ Aug; $12.25 Sept.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

HOGS—Estimated receipts, 20,000; shipments, 4,617; light hogs, $7.70@$8.27; mixed, $7.70@$8.10; heavy, $8.15@$8.60. Cattle receipts, 6000

	Receipts.	*Shipments.*	*Car Lots.*
WHEAT	7,657	23,564	31
CORN	58,020	71,943	161
OATS	87,952	61,607	95
RYE	897	——	4

NEW YORK, June 28.

WHEAT——June; $1.29⅝ July; $1.30⅛ Aug; $1.19¾ Sept; ——Oct; $1.19 Year.
CORN— ——June; 81¼ July; 82¾ Aug, 83¼ Sept; ——Oct; 75½ Year.

TOLEDO, June 28.

WHEAT— June; $1.14¾ July; $1.09 Aug; $1.09 Sept; $1.07½ Year.
CORN—76½ July; 75¾ Aug; 64¾ Year.

AT POPULAR PRICES!

BLACK AND COLORED DRESS SILKS,
Rhadames, Satin De Lyon, Merveilleux, Armures, Brocade Grenadines, Brocade Silks, Summer Silks and

FRENCH DRESS GOODS.

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THE LATEST NOVELTIES IN PARASOLS.

DRESS GOODS from 6¼ to 12½ cts., that are very cheap.
ALL-WOOL BUNTINGS 12½ cents.
HANDSOME PERCALES, 31 inches wide, 6¼ cts.
400 doz. Gents' WHITE LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS at 10, 14 and 15c, 50 per cent below value.

Between four and five hundred dozen TOWELS from 9 to 25 cents below importers' prices.

LONSDALE COTTON, 9 cents.
FRUIT OF THE LOOM, 9 cents.
COTTONADES at 15 cents, worth 20 cents.

LACES, RIBBONS, TRIMMINGS, SILKS and SATINS, DRESS BUTTONS, GIMPS, FRINGES, HANDKERCHIEFS, EMBROIDERIES, TIES and SCARFS, in great variety, and at low prices.

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SUSPENDERS, GLOVES, CUFFS, COLLARS, etc.,
At very attractive prices.

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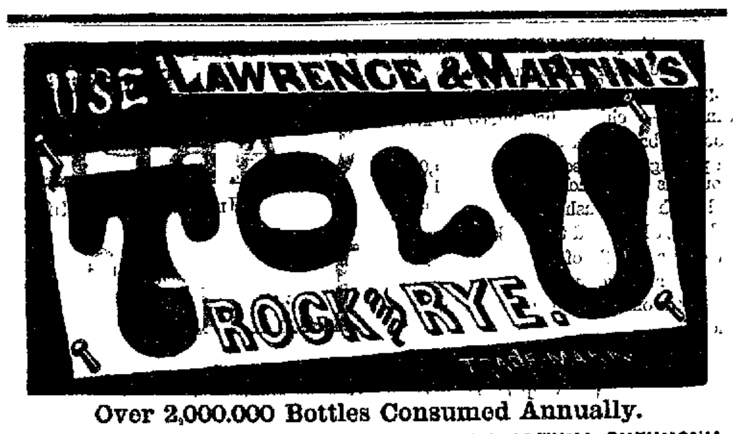

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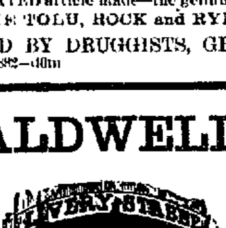

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☞ Full particulars in our pamphlet, which we desire to send free by mail to every one. ☞ The Specific Medicine is sold by all druggists at $1 per package, or six packages for $5, or will be sent free by mail on the receipt of the money, by addressing

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A POPULAR TONIC

For Weak Lungs and Consumption.

No preparation ever introduced to the American public, for the relief and cure of Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Debilitated Constitution, Weakness of the Lungs, or Consumption in the incipient or advanced stages of the disease, has ever met with the indorsements of physicians or patients as the celebrated "Tolu, Rock and Rye." The repeated and continued sales of the article everywhere are the best evidence of its real merits. Letters and testimonials from every quarter of the country, attesting the stimulating, tonic and healing effects, are in possession of the proprietors, and can be adduced to convince the most skeptical reader of its intrinsic virtues. Further commendation is unnecessary and superfluous, as a trial of this article, having a pleasant taste and agreeable flavor, will satisfy all those who are afflicted or pining away with pulmonary weakness of the relief to be secured by the use of Tolu, Rock and Rye. [Chicago Times.] Jan3d6mo

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILL., JUNE 28, 1882.

Remedy Against Barbers.

Barbers will talk. There is no help for that. Their jaws have to keep time with the movement of the scissors. It is not the mere talking that is annoying, but it is what they say, and their manner of saying it, that nearly drives a strong man crazy. If, for instance, a barber were only to make such remarks as—"what a noble brow you have," or "your dome of thought reminds one of Daniel Webster," or if they were to abuse some man you do not like, the sitter would listen very complacently, and some bald-headed people we know of would want to have the ends of their locks trimmed four or five times a week, just to hear what the confounded fool of a barber had to say. The trouble with barbers is that they do not say what you want to listen to. The barbers will persist in discovering that your hair is falling out, and there is nothing in heaven above, or on the earth below that will arrest the fugitive hair, except a bottle of each particular barber's magic lotion. Another thing that worries the barber more than it troubles its legitimate owner, is dandruff. As nine persons in ten have more or less dandruff on their heads, the barber has a fine field to work in, as it were. Dandruff is another dread malady that is hurrying the unfortunate man into his grave, unless he is willing to shell out a reluctant half dollar for a bottle of the same vile stuff that the aforesaid barber is willing to part with for the consideration mentioned.

Of course, the eloquence of the barber cannot be closed off entirely, as gas is shut off; but the colored barber can be temporarily discouraged. He will run his hands through your hair and say:

"Boss, I kin gib yer a remedy for fifty cents what will knock dat ar scurff in yer head cold."

Then you say:

"Look here, you have got one foot in the grave. Your liver is out of order. I can tell it by your complexion. Your complexion is too yellow. You had better get a bottle of Carter's pills or Reed's Gilt Edge Tonic."

He will be surprised if not shocked. We tried that game on a barber, and his reproachful look will never be forgotten while memory holds her seat. Usually one application is sufficient, but occasionally he rallies towards the close of the matinee, his system reacts, and he says timidly:

"Yer hasn't answered my question yet, boss, about de bottle of magic lotion for de scurff."

All you have to do is to ask him if he has read Dr. Pillkins' treatise on dandruff. He will reply he has not, then you say:

"Dr. Pillkins is of the opinion that dandruff is produced by activity of the brain. People who have torpid brains or no brains at all, are never troubled with dandruff. What you need is some dandruff. If you colored folks had more dandruff in your heads there would be more of you in Congress. If you don't quit curing white people's heads of dandruff, their brains will dwindle away and they will set up barber shops, and then you will have more competition than you will want."

This last dose will cure the barber of dandruff, falling out of the hair, and whatever else troubles him. After the above remedy has been applied, you can get your hair cut ten times a day, and he will never again venture to prescribe for "de scurff in yer head." Try it.—*Texas Siftings.*

Woman's True Friend.

A friend in need is a friend indeed. This none can deny, especially when assistance is rendered when one is sorely afflicted with disease, more particularly those complaints and weaknesses so common to our female population. Every woman should know that Electric Bitters are woman's true friend, and will positively restore her to health, even when all other remedies fail. A single trial always proves our assertion. They are pleasant to the taste, and only cost 50 cents a bottle. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. d&w 2

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen.
Jan. 31, '82-to March 1, '83.

A World Wants Proof.

The proof of the pudding is the eating thereof," and not in chewing the string which tied the bag. Therefore, Take Dr. Jones Red Clover Tonic. It cures all blood disorders, torpid liver, sick headache, costiveness, and all diseases of the urinary organs. The best appetizer and tonic known. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner. Fifty cents per bottle. [April 3-d&wly

CHEAP GOODS are the result of judicious purchases from first hands, and the largest sales with the least expense. That we have attained this end is a pretty well established fact. And though we call attention in our advertisements to special articles, there are no departments and no articles in departments, from the smallest to the largest, that will not bear the same scrutiny. We hold that merchants are as much bound to adhere to the truth in their advertisements as farmers or mechanics in their business transactions; and that misrepresentations are resorted to where there is no merit, and for the purpose of deceiving the plain unsuspecting class, who can least afford the deception, which robs them of their dues. Goods constantly change in *styles* and prices, so that the *most experienced merchants* find it difficult to determine values; and the seeming artlessness which invests the ordinary buyer, or the "intelligent public" with a knowledge of merchandise, that *nine merchants in ten do not possess*, may be very flattering indeed, but this observation is only made to lull persons into security in order to practice a still greater deception. There is no law to punish dealers for representing their purchases as coming direct from *importers and manufacturers*, when the facts are against them. Nor for giving *special reasons* for marking down goods, after six weeks untiring labor, TWO HUNDRED PER CENT. BELOW COST. But the dealer who indulges in such misrepresentations on paper will do so over the counter; consequently to show courtesy where it does not belong, or to AFFECT a regard for the integrity of *all* competitors might seem very magnanimous were it not for these palpable evidences to the contrary. We invite the most critical investigation to what we say and do in DRY GOODS and CARPETS; also to every other article of merchandise composing our stock.
LINN & SCRUGGS.
March 25–d&wtf

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

The best on earth can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds, and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. [April 3-d&wly

SHELLABARGER'S Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it. Dec18-d&wtf

THE $10 Suits at Stine's M5-dtf

Light and Near-Sightedness.

Professor Pickering, of Harvard Observatory, points out in *Nature* that the color of gas-light has nothing to do with its painful effect upon the eyes of students and others. To test this question he had a tin lamp-shade constructed, consisting of a tube six inches in diameter by eight in length. One end was closed by a reflector and the other by a piece of very light blue glass. Two holes were made in the sides, through which passed the glass chimney of an argand gas-burner. By experimenting with a shadow photometer, a position was found where the light received on a book was of the same intensity, and very similar color, to that from a window in the daytime, at a distance of about six feet. A few minutes' reading, however, was sufficient to convince him that the new light was far more trying to the eyes than an ordinary gas-flame would be, the ill-effects being due to the intense heat thrown down by the reflector. And this he thinks is the source of the whole trouble in the ordinary gas-burner. The heat radiated by the flame; the heated chimney and shade, and reflected from the printed page and all other white paper lying on the table, dries the eyes, the lids, the forhead and temples. Temporary relief may be found by bathing the face and eyes in water, but it is only temporary. The hot dry air from the lamp is also harmful, and no doubt contributes its share of injury to the vision. These evils may both in part be remedied by placing a pane of glass so as to intercept the rays of light before they strike on the book or the face. But it must be placed at such a distance from the lamp as not itself to become heated.

The hotter the flame the whiter it is, and the more light is thrown off in proportion to the heat. Hence oculists are recommending such lights as the Student's and Moderator lamps, which burn with a small, hot and very brilliant flame, as compared with that furnished by the argand and fish-tail burners. Statistics, said Professor Pickering, show how alarmingly prevalent near-sightedness has become of late among students. Hence anything which will tend in the future to prevent this wide-spread defect will be a boon to mankind. He had great hopes of the electric light in this respect. In it there was the maximum of light with the minimum of heat. Its ever-varying intensity was an objection, but he thought we might look forward to the success of the light from the incandescent carbon strip, in the near future, as a remedy for "the most wide-spread evil that afflicts the human vision."

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Even the patience of Job would become exhausted were he a preacher and endeavoring to interest his audience while they were keeping up an incessant coughing, making it impossible for him to be heard. Yet how very easy can all this be avoided by simply using Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Trial bottles given away at Hubbard & Swearingen's Drug Store. d&w 2

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$5 to $10 a day selling our "Ironing Board and Plaiter Combined." No capital required, and quick sales. We want agents in every town in the United States.
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march13-dmws-wtf.

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may11-dawtf

TRUNKS and valises a specialty at Decatur's one-price clothing and merchant tailoring house, corner of Old Square.
j14-d&wtf.

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Dec. 18—d&wtf

THE SPRING SUIT QUESTION.

Let us continue this subject while it is new upon your mind. Nearly every suit on hand now has come within a few weeks "Direct from our Chicago factory." New styles and shapes for men, boys and children, that will prove a genuine and agreeable surprise in many ways—fit, fabric, and particularly the price.
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The Renowned One Price Clothier.
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BUY your CLOTHING where they have the best assortment and LOWEST PRICES, at Cheap Charley's Renowned ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE. m11-d&wtf

SHORT pants and children's waists of all kinds, to suit everybody, at Decatur's One-Price Clothing House, corner of Old Square. j14-d&wtf

THOSE persons who do not need Iron, but who are troubled with Nervousness and Dyspepsia, will find in Carter's Little NERVE Pills a most desirable article. They are mostly used in combination with Carter's Little Liver Pills, and in this way often exert a most magical effect. Take just one pill of each kind immediately after eating and you will be free from Indigestion and Dyspepsia. In vials at 25 cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 23

FINE furnishing goods, as well as hats and caps, are specialties at Fleury, the French Cutter's, corner of Old Square.
j14-d&wtf.

IF you want to see ALL the LEADING STYLES in STRAW and FUR HATS, Cheap Charley's is the place to find them.
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COLORED Silks just received, in various shades, imported expressly for us, and will be sold cheap. LINN & SCRUGGS.
feb22-d&wtf.

A Novel and Perfect Cure for Scrofula Salt Rheum, Cancer, Etc.

A discovery has recently been made which adds luster to the Nineteenth Century. It consists simply in an extract from the Red Clover Blossom, as extracted by J. M. Loose & Co., Monroe, Mich., who have gone into the business largely in order to supply the increasing demand. For sale by Dr. A. J. STONER.

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Feb. 3, 1882—d&wlyr

ALL cases of weak or lame back, backache, rheumatism, etc., will find relief by wearing one of Carter's Smart Weed and Belladonna Backache Plasters. Price 25 cents. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen 23

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THE popular suits of the season, Stine's $10 Suits. M5-dtf

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May 11-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY.

Go to your druggist for *Mrs. Freeman's New National Dyes.* For brightness and durability of color are unequaled. Color from 2 to 5 pounds. Directions in English and German. Price 15 cents.
May 23, 1882–d&wtf

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April 15–d&wtf

MEN'S fine low shoes, all styles, at 15-d&wtf BARBER & BAKER'S

IF YOU are tired taking the large old-fashioned griping pills, try Carter's Little Liver Pills and take some comfort. A man can't stand everything. One pill a dose. Sold by Hubbard & Swearingen. 23

150 PIECES new Renfrew and Canton Dress Ginghams just received, and will be sold at 9c a yard. Also, 100 pieces good Ginghams in dress styles, just received, at 8c per yard.
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m11-d&wtf CHEAP CHARLEY'S

LAKE and river fish, fresh every day, at Frank Hall's North Main street depot. Send orders by telephone.
May 6-dtf

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ORDER soft nut coal of F. D. Caldwell and he will deliver it to you nicely screened. Office with American Express Co.
March 23–dtf

Weakly Persons' Wine.

Old an infirm persons need some mild tonic or gentle stimulant, especially at this season. The wine made at Speer's Mount Prospect Vineyards, in New Jersey, called Speer's Port Grape Wine, is used by the most eminent physicians and chemists as the best tonic wine known, and is regarded as pure, and is very popular as a communion wine. It is especially beneficial for females and old people, as it contains iron from the iron in the rocky soil on which the vines grow. For sale by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 13-d2w

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First-class ladies' clothes ironers at Norman's Steam Laundry. None but the very best need apply. 16-dtf

LEAVE orders at Cole Bros.' drug store, at the New Deming and St. Nicholas Hotels for Lintner's carriages and omnibuses. Also send orders by telephone to the office on South Main street. Calls made at all hours of the day and night. Passengers and baggage transferred to and from all trains and to all parts of the city promptly. Nov29-dtf

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April 24–d&wtf

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To any person suffering from indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaints, kidney complaints, lung troubles, skin disease or general debility arising from any cause whatever, who purchase a bottle of FLEURY'S WA-HOO TONIC, takes it according to directions (once each day at bed-time,) for one month and says benefit has not been received by its use the money will be refunded upon presentation of the bottle. Each bottle contains one quart of medicine and costs one dollar. It is unquestionably the very best tonic, blood purifier and general system renovator ever produced, and is purely vegetable. Try it, and you will be astonished at its wonderful effect upon the human system. Nine hundred and fifteen bottles have been sold at retail in the city of Springfield during the past nine weeks and all say who have tried it—"It is the best medicine we have ever used."

Made only by the

FLEURY MEDICINE CO.,

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April 19, 1882.—d&w

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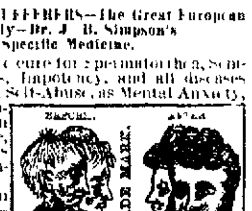

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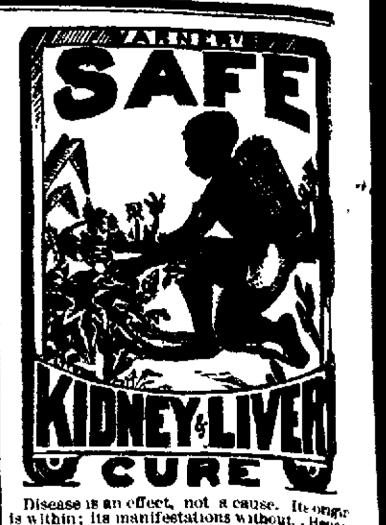

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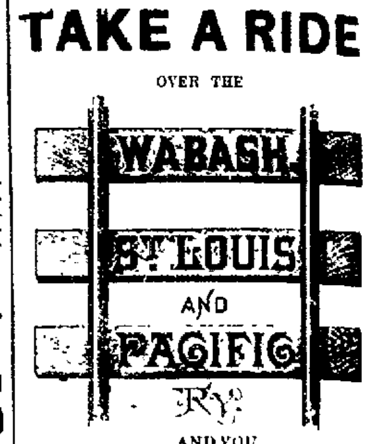

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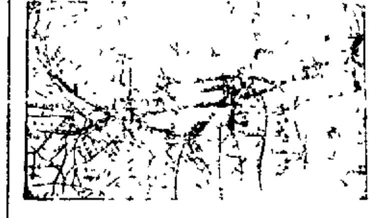

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No. 44, Chicago Express.	12 25 a m
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" 41, Chicago Mail	12 45 p m

ARRIVE FROM CHICAGO.

No. 47, St. Louis Express	[illegible] a. m
" 45, St. Louis Mail	[illegible] p. m
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St. Louis Division.

GOING WEST.

No. 17, St. Louis Express	5.57 a m
" 15, La Clede,	[illegible] a m
" 11, Decatur and St. Louis Accom.,	[illegible] a. m
45, Fast Mail	[illegible] p m

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No. 18, Chicago Express	11 15 a m
" 44, Atlantic Express	11 55 a m
" , St. Louis and Decatur Accom.,	[illegible] p m
" 4, Lightning Express	10 40 p m

The following freight trains will carry passengers with tickets on the St. Louis Division.

Going West	7 30 a. m
Arrive from West	[illegible] p. m

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Arrive from East	10 40 a. m
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GOING NORTH.

Passenger	6 05 a. m
Accommodation	3:40 p m
Freight	4.20 "

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Mail and Day Express No. 21	3 60 p. m.
Night Express No 23	4 30 a. m.
Way Freight No. 25	7 30 p. m.
Through Fr'ht and mixed train No. 29,	8 15 a. m

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Decatur, Ill., April 16, 1882

ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Sunday, April 9th, 1882, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

Going East—Arrive,	Mail & Express		7:40 p. m.
" Leave	"	"	6:40 a. m.
" West Arrive	"	"	7:55 p. m.
" " Leave	"	"	6:45 a. m.

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